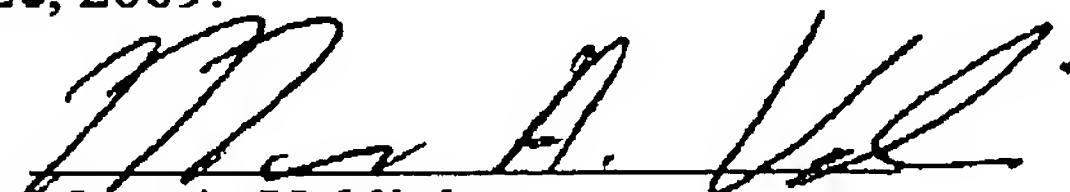


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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Office Action mailed July 21, 2009 in connection with the above-designated application. A response to the Office Action is due October 21, 2009.

Therefore, this Response is timely filed.